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INTRODUCTORY REMARKS

This correspondence is responsive to the Office Action dated December 1, 2005, which set a three-month period for reply. Applicant respectfully requests entry of the following amendments and consideration of the following remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.